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(54) PROPHYLACTIC AND THERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR ALLERGIC DISEASE

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a daily usable prophylactic and therapeutic agent for allergic diseases having high safety.

SOLUTION: This invention relates to a prophylactic and therapeutic agent for allergic diseases, IL-5 (interleukin-5) production-suppressing agent, IL-4 (interleukin-4) production-suppressing agent and IFN-y production-enhancing agent each containing a pectin having 20-70% esterification degree and 50,000-1,000,000 molecular weight and/or a salt thereof as an active ingredient.

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